

Public Notice – Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment on a draft permit from the Department of Environmental Quality to limit air pollution emitted by a facility in Orange County, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: November 18, 2011 to December 20, 2011

PERMIT NAME: Federal Operating Permit issued by DEQ, under the authority of the Air Pollution Control Board

APPLICANT NAME AND ADDRESS: Aerojet Corporation; 7499 Pine Stake Road, Culpeper, Virginia 22701

FACILITY NAME, ADDRESS AND REGISTRATION NUMBER: Aerojet Corporation; 7499 Pine Stake Road, Culpeper, Virginia 22701; Registration No. 40743

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Aerojet Corporation has applied for the renewal of the Title V permit for Aerojet, Orange County Facility. The facility is located at 7499 Pine Stake Road in Orange County. The facility is classified as a major source of air pollution. There will be no regulated air pollutant emission changes resulting from the issuance of this permit. The permit allows the source to manufacture and rework rocket motors and associated components. The facility also manufactures propellant which it periodically test fires and open burns on-site, and conducts research and development on rocket motors, associated components and the propellants for automobile air bag systems.

HOW TO COMMENT AND/OR REQUEST A PUBLIC HEARING: DEQ accepts comments and requests for public hearing by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments and requests must be in writing and be received by DEQ during the comment period. Submittals must include the names, mailing addresses and telephone numbers of the commenter/requester and of all persons represented by the commenter/requester. A request for public hearing must also include: 1) The reason why a public hearing is requested. 2) A brief, informal statement regarding the nature and extent of the interest of the requester or of those represented by the requester, including how and to what extent such interest would be directly and adversely affected by the permit. 3) Specific references, where possible, to terms and conditions of the permit with suggested revisions. A public hearing may be held, including another comment period, if public response is significant, based on individual requests for a public hearing, and there are substantial, disputed issues relevant to the permit.

Contact for public comments, document requests and additional information: Doug Stockman; DEQ Northern Regional Office, 13901 Crown Court, Woodbridge, VA 22193; Phone: 703-583-3930; E-mail: Richard.Sockman@deq.virginia.gov Fax: 703-583-3821. The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named above or may request copies of the documents from the contact person listed above.